

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

he Application of:

Scott W. Corzine, et al.

Serial No.

10/022,757

File

December 14, 2001

For:

DISTRIBUTED BRAGG REFLECTOR AND METHOD OF FABRICATION

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Examiner: Pritchett, Joshua L.

Group Art Unit: 2872

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On 11/18/0

Signature: Carol Marstalle

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir/Madam:

This is an amendment in the above-identified application and includes the transmitted herewith attachments of the same date and subject which are incorporated hereunto by reference. The signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachments in absence of a signature thereto.

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application are:

- 1) Amendment to Office Action dated October 21, 2002
- 2) Exhibit "A" Pending Claims
- 3) Acknowledgment Postcard

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION SUMMARY

Responsive to the Official Action mailed on October 21, 2002, and the telephone interview of November 18, 2002 wherein the Examiner agreed to combine groups II and III, reconsideration and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested and believed to be appropriate in view of the following remarks:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-11 without prejudice.

Regarding Section 121 Restriction Requirement

Applicant respectfully requests to select Group II and III as a single group, claims 12-20 for examination.

Applicant has canceled the remaining claims 1-11.

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested in view of the foregoing remarks.